

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
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Reply to the Attention Of: SR-6J

September 3, 2014

Mr. Todd Konechne  
The Dow Chemical Company  
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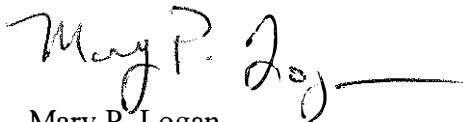
RE: Segment 4 Response Proposal  
Tittabawassee River, Saginaw River & Bay Site, Michigan  
EPA Document #EPA2014.019

Dear Mr. Konechne:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in consultation with the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, (jointly, the Agencies) is requesting The Dow Chemical Company (Dow) to proceed with work on Segment 4 of the Tittabawassee River, Saginaw River & Bay site. This request is made pursuant to the January 2010 Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent (2010 AOC), and Task 8 of the Statement of Work (SOW), Appendix A to the 2010 AOC. In accordance with the schedule in Exhibit B of the SOW, this letter triggers the submittal of a draft Segment-Specific Response Proposal within 300 days, or on another agreed to date. EPA is requesting submittal of the draft Segment 4 Response Proposal no later than September 1, 2015. The ongoing routine technical meetings between the Agencies and Dow will serve to meet the 2010 AOC scoping meeting obligations. Additionally, the Agencies anticipate discussions with Dow, pursuant to Task 8.4.2, about the project management approach for the Segment 4 work.

Please contact me at (312) 886-4699 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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